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WEDNESDAY
NOVEMBER 11, 1953

Armistice Day. This is Audrey's birthday and I sent her a telegram.

E. and I had our annual lunch to celebrate it at Au Caneton near the Bourse -- a [redacted] good lunch it was. I had the knowledgeable sommelier mark the list of wine in my possession in order of desirable dates of consumption.

I worked this morning on my statement for the Randall Committee, to be made tomorrow, and went over this and the papers on the subject prepared by Tommy and Stan Cleveland with them this afternoon. We finally produced a document for the record which seems to me fairly satisfactory and is as follows:

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Tonight Clarence Randall gave a dinner for his Committee and for those of the witnesses [redacted] still in Paris at the Cercle Interallié. It was [redacted] pleasant and he was a witty toastmaster. The list of members is as follows:

The Honorable Clarence Randall, Chairman
Mr. Lamar Fleming, Jr., Vice-Chairman
Senator Prescott Bush
Senator Harry Flood Byrd
Congressman Jere Cooper
Senator Eugene Millikin
Mr. Cola G. Parker
Congressman Daniel A. Reed
Mr. Jesse W. Tapp
Congressman John M. Vorys
Mr. John Hay Whitney
Dr. John H. Williams

I had a talk with Monnet after dinner. He [redacted] thinks things are in pretty good shape on the European treaties.

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